IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

United States Court of Appeals Fifth Circuit

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Conference Calendar

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee

v.

NICHOLAS CASTILLO,

Defendant-Appellant

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas USDC No. 3:08-CR-119-3

Before KING, JOLLY, and SOUTHWICK, Circuit Judges. PER CURIAM:*

The attorney appointed to represent Nicholas Castillo has moved for leave to withdraw and has filed a brief in accordance with Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967). Castillo has filed a response. Our independent review of the record, counsel's brief, and Castillo's response discloses no nonfrivolous issue for appeal. Accordingly, counsel's motion for leave to withdraw is GRANTED, counsel is excused from further responsibilities herein, and the APPEAL IS DISMISSED. See 5TH CIR. R. 42.2.

^{*} Pursuant to 5TH CIR. R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5th Cir. R. 47.5.4.